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Veterans Affairs to hold information forum for patients

OMAHA, Neb. — Veterans who receive health care services at the Department of Veterans Affairs clinic in Lincoln, Neb., are invited to attend an information forum at 6 p.m. Nov. 16 in the Prairie Room at 600 S. 70th St.

Veterans will learn about the plans for the enhanced-use lease, and be able to ask questions of VA leadership.

Members of the Lincoln Veterans' Advisory Council will be available before the forum at 5:30 p.m. to help Veterans with concerns about their specific health care.

Veterans are encouraged to attend the forum to share their feedback about their health care experiences at the clinic with representatives from the VA Nebraska-Western Iowa Health Care System's executive leadership and patient advocate offices.

Light refreshments will be available.

Veterans with questions about the forum can call Anna Morelock, deputy public affairs officer, at 402-995-5547.

The VA Nebraska-Western Iowa Health Care System's mission is to honor America's Veterans by providing exceptional health care that improves their health and well-being. VA NWIHCS employees serve more than 161,000 Veterans in Nebraska, western Iowa and portions of Kansas and Missouri. The system includes a tertiary medical center in Omaha and a Community Living Center in Grand Island, Neb. Community-based outpatient clinics are located in Lincoln, Grand Island, North Platte, Norfolk, and Bellevue, Neb., and Shenandoah, Iowa; and a contract outreach clinic in O'Neill, Neb. For more information, visit <http://www.nebraska.va.gov>.

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